



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Richard L. Sites

Art Unit : 2655

Serial No. : 09/774,191

Examiner : Huyen X. Vo

Filed : January 29, 2001

Title : DOCUMENT BASED CHARACTER AMBIGUITY RESOLUTION

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF JULY 26, 2004

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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the Examiner's rejection of claim 17 fails to establish a *prima facie* case of obviousness for at least this reason as well, and should be withdrawn.

Claims 1-27 are believed to be in condition for allowance, which action is kindly requested. Please apply the appropriate charges to deposit account 06-1050 for a one-month extension of time and for the additional dependent claim. Please apply any other applicable charges or credits to deposit account 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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